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Organization and Mission -- Field

3D COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON (3CS)

This regulation gives the mission, organization, and responsibilities of the 3d Communications Squadron, Kapaun Air Station (AS), Germany, and implements AFR 23-51.

1. **Mission.** Manages and operates satellite interstation and intrastation communications equipment. Forwards data to approved using agencies such as the North American Aerospace Defense Command (NORAD), United States Space Command (USSPACECOM), Strategic Air Command (SAC), National Military Command Center (NMCC), and Alternate National Military Command Center (ANMCC).

2. **Organization.** 3d Communications Squadron is an Air Force controlled unit assigned to the 1st Space Wing. Operational resource management is provided by the Commander, Air Force Space Command.

3. **Responsibilities.** The Commander:

- a. Organizes, trains, and administers assigned personnel to accomplish the mission.
- b. Provides administrative and logistical support to assigned personnel.

c. Establishes training and standardization and evaluation programs for operations personnel as directed by the 1st Space Wing.

d. Operates equipment to accomplish the mission.

e. Ensures the accurate and timely transmission of tactical and allied information to satisfy the operational requirements of approved using agencies.

f. Exercises supervision over the standby power production function.

g. Evaluates on-site contractor performance in accordance with the statement of work (SOW) and guidance from the contracting officer.

h. Makes sure adequate support is provided per support agreements.

4. **Relationship to Other Units or Agencies.** The Commander may coordinate with other 1st Space Wing units on matters relating to standardization and mission-related activities. The Commander may also communicate with other agencies on mission-related matters.

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES

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